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HUGH RAGLAND, district auditor of the Merchants Motor Lines at Abilene, is an accommodating fellow — but he also has a fine sense of humor.

Several days ago Local Representative Earl Johnson of the motor lines wrote to the Abilene man asking him for permission of the First Methodist Church for foreign relief work.

The Abilene official readily agreed to the free transportation by Merchants, but added as a postscript: "See if it will be alright with those church folks for me to go through the packages and see if there is anything my wife can wear."

CIT IS REPORTED that Mr. and Mrs. Louie Cunningham got a newsy letter the other day from their son, Jay, who is a student at Texas Technological College in Lubbock.

"Dear Mom and Dad," he began. "I haven't heard from you in nearly a month. Please send a check so I'll know you're all right."

SOUP LOGIC is often to be found in short stories on life. We cite a few we have accumulated here and there . . .

It's hard to believe that America was founded to avoid taxation.

You've got to hand it to the income tax people—or they will come after it.

The man who thought nothing of walking 10 miles a day now has a grandson who doesn't think much of it either.

Middle age is when our tripping becomes less light and more fantastic.

In many an instance a person asks your advice in order to have an excuse to tell you his troubles.

Some people can stay longer in an hour than others can in a week.

Some old fashioned mothers who can remember their husband's first kiss have daughters who can't remember their first husbands.

Political science is the art of knowing how to point with pride to the same things you viewed with alarm when your opponent held the office.

Things could be worse. Suppose your errors were tabulated

and published every day like those of a ball player.

CTWO HOUSE FLIES were conversing and the first fly said, "Sylvester, aren't people funny?"

"Yes, George," said Sylvester, "but what made you think about it just now?"

"Well," replied George, "I was just thinking how much money they spent building a beautiful ceiling like this—and then they walk on the floor."

THE STORY GOES that the writer Mark Twain lost more than one hard earned fortune by investing it in hare-brained schemes. So he was wary when a tall, spare man with kindly eyes and eager face came up the path one afternoon with a strange contraption under his arm. Yes, it was an invention. The man explained it to the humorist, who listened politely but asid he had been burned too often.

"I'm not asking you to invest a fortune," urged the man. "You can have as large a share as you want."

Twain shook his head. The invention didn't make sense to him: as the tall, erect figure started away, the author asked, "What did you say your name was?"

"Bell," replied the inventor a little sadly, "Alexander Graham Bell."

BILL HARBERT, not feeling quite up to the mark, asked his druggist, Jerry Waggoner, for a suggestion. The druggist prepared a small box of pills and handed them to Bill with the remark: "Take these!"

Bill came in the next day and said he felt no better.

Jerry asked, "Did you take the pills?"

"Yes, I swallowed it."

"Swallowed what?" asked the druggist.

"The box," answered Bill.

"Don't tell me you swallowed the box and all!" gasped the amazed druggist.

"Sure," said Harbert. "Didn't you tell me to?"

Young Waggoner leaned over the counter. "Just you wait," he said, "until the lid comes off that box!"

Mayor Issues Proclamation Setting Sunday as Hamlin-for-Christ Day

Whereas, strong churches are essential to a healthy community life; and

Whereas, the spiritual life of every citizen is of vital importance to responsible government; and

Whereas, the keeping of the Sabbath is a command of God and has always been characteristic of a Christian civilization; and

Whereas, the officials of the City of Hamlin recognize too, that every man, woman and child should recognize the importance of our churches and their ministry, and share responsibility and contribute support;

Now, therefore, I, L. H. McBride, mayor of the City of Hamlin, Texas, do hereby proclaim Sunday, February 22, as Hamlin-for-Christ Day and respectfully solicit the cooperation of the entire citizenry.

In testimony whereof, I hereto sign my name and seal of office this 10th day of February, 1959.

L. H. MCBRIDE, Mayor.

Most Farmers Favor Plan A for Cotton

Over 170 Jones County farmers turned out last Thursday night to hear Cecil Parker, farm management specialist from Texas A. & M. College Extension Service, explain the plan A and B cotton allotment program, according to County Agent Kirby Clayton.

Letha's Style Shop Will Open Friday in Former Hall Location

Letha's is the name of the new ladies' fashion store being opened tomorrow (Friday) in the Russell building next door to the gas office, formerly occupied by Hall Paint and Wallpaper Store. Mrs. Letha Maberry is the proprietor.

Brand new stocks of conventional and sports wear, undergarments and accessories are being stocked by the new store. Standard brands are to be featured.

Mrs. Maberry was in Dallas over the weekend buying spring and summer merchandise, as well as display fixtures.

While the new concern will be open for business beginning Friday, the formal opening of the store will be held later, it is announced by Mrs. Maberry, well known in the Hamlin territory.

Ground Breaking Ceremony for New McCaulley Baptist Church Conducted

Members of McCaulley Baptist Church conducted a ground breaking service Sunday. The service was held at the site of the proposed new building, where the old building had stood. Completion of the razed of the old structure last week made ready for the new building construction to begin.

The ground breaking was conducted immediately following the morning worship service of the congregation. The church is using facilities of the McCaulley School for their services.

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by the church's music director, G. W. Joplin. R. B. Hennington, long time resident and member of the church, voiced the opening prayer. Following the prayer, testimonies were heard by several of the members, including Mrs. R. B. Hennington, Mrs. Gene Brock, wife of the pastor; and Callens George, contractor of the new structure.

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Bid for Boys' Correctional Institution Appears Late

Hamlin-for-Christ Day Hopes to Fill Churches Sunday

Record church attendance is expected Sunday in practically all the churches of Hamlin when the climax of a church emphasizing campaign is reached in the Hamlin-for-Christ Day is reached.

The project, the second of its kind conducted in the city, is being sponsored by members of the Hamlin Ministerial Alliance, representing most of the churches of the city. Last year's Hamlin-for-Christ Day was greatly hampered by blizzard. Balmy weather is hoped for this year's observance.

Purpose of the Hamlin-for-Christ Day is to point up the vital role the churches of the community play in the life of citizens of the territory. Special services are planned by the participating churches. Blanket invitations are extended to everyone in the community to be in the church of his choice for all services Sunday. Regular attendance at church, attendance at church services, of course, is the eventual goal of the day, declares Rev. Calvin Bailey, pastor of the First Baptist Church, president of the alliance.

A concerted advertising campaign has been underway for several weeks. Advertisements in Your Home Town Paper have been carried for three weeks. A handbill is due to be placed in every home in the community this week. A telephone campaign is planned for today (Thursday). Ribbons are being distributed this week advertising the day, to be worn by church members and others.

Churches participating in the Hamlin-for-Christ Day event are Foursquare Gospel Assembly of God, United Pentecostal, Calvary Baptist, North Central Avenue Baptist, Faith Methodist, First Methodist, Oak Grove Colored Baptist, Mexican Baptist, Church of the Nazarene, Sunset Baptist and First Baptist.

He urged Jones County farmers and ranchers to take advantage of a well planned silage beef production program, utilizing the surplus grains produced right here in our own country.

George Krupala, local Soil Conservation Service work unit conservationist, gave the group a short summary on the Great Plains conservation program.

School Leaders Plan Visits to Area Schools

Series of visits to several schools slightly larger than Hamlin's to study curriculums and coordination of courses is planned for the next several weeks by Superintendent of Schools C. F. Cook, High School Principal B. V. Newberry and Junior High School Principal M. B. Carlton, it is announced this week by Cook.

The study is being made in order to synchronize and coordinate Hamlin's courses with other schools and to help prepare a curriculum guide for the Hamlin school system.

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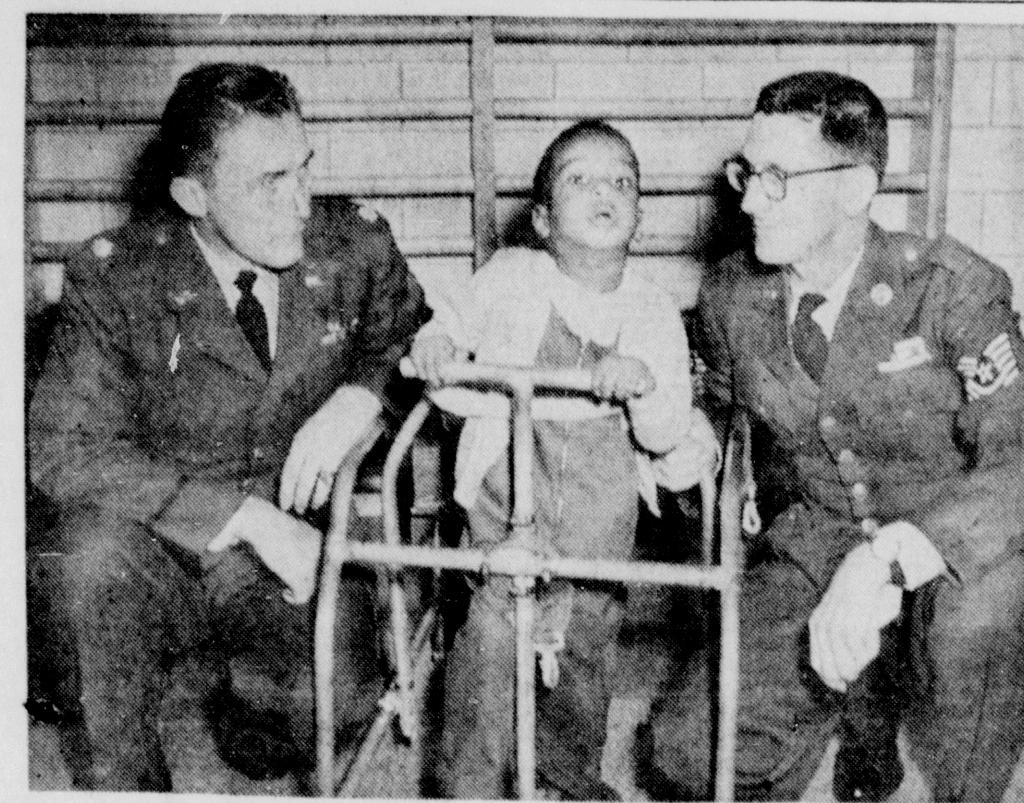
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NEW WALKER DEMONSTRATED—Building rights and plans to the Gager Walker were presented to West Texas Rehabilitation Center Friday by Master Sergeant Jack Gager (right), inventor of the orthopedic walker. Lieutenant Colonel Leo Trail (left), vice commander of Dyess Air Force Base at Abilene, watches as two-year-old Hubert James Cork Jr., cerebral palsy victim from Hamlin, tries out the economical walker. Sergeant Gager, en route from Mother Air Force Base, California, to Paris, France, for assignment, decided to present his invention to WTRC while visiting a friend at Dyess AFB. Hastily constructed by Sergeant Gager, the walker shown here cost about \$25. WTRC Director Shelly Smith said similar factory built walker cost from \$75 to \$125. (Photocourtesy of Abilene Reporter-News).

Heart Fund Drive Climaxes With Solicitation on Sunday

Finishing Touches Being Given Class Play Slated Friday

Finishing touches are being put on the annual play of the junior class of Hamlin High School, "Father Knows Best," to be presented tomorrow (Friday) evening at the high school auditorium, report officials of the class.

Besides the cast itself, Mrs. Charles Scott, class sponsor, and other personnel have worked hard to make the play a success. Student directors are Peggy Dodd and Sam Mack Hodges. Publicity chairman is Ken Prewit. The stage crew, under the direction of T. C. Blankenship, another class sponsor, are Ronny Fleckenstein and Richard Winegar. Iona Seaton and Terry Scott are in charge of the ticket sales. Make-up is directed by Linda Perry, Betty Galloway and Sharon Sims. Typists are Phyllis Hollis and Lana Lancaster.

Class leaders declare: "Bring your whole family, from Junior to Grandpa; your neighbors, too, and enjoy a full evening of fun for only 50 and 25 cents, plus 25 cents for reserved seats." Curtain time is 7:30 p.m.

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THE CRUELEST TAX OF ALL LEVIED TODAY

Millions of Americans are paying a heavy, cruel and dangerous tax that has never been authorized by any Congress.

It is a tax that takes up to half the income of many people. It is a cruel tax because it weighs heaviest upon those least able to pay—widows, children, pensioners and retired people who worked hard to save for their later years.

It is a dangerous tax because it has toppled democratic governments, bred dictators and led to wars.

This tax is inflation!

Inflation is an excess of demand over supply. Spending for goods increases faster than the supply of goods. The result is rising prices and a declining value of money.

Legislative bodies seldom authorize or impose inflation directly. But they do adopt policies that lead to inflation. Such policies at present are promoting inflation by allowing wages to be raised faster than productivity, thus authorizing government expenditures in excess of receipts.

Labor productivity is increasing at the rate of three per cent per year. We permit greater increases in wages. Consequently prices must

A Fearful Price to Pay

A 35-year-old father of three made headlines bad news when he returned in an airborne flight from a vacation visit to his sister in India. His wife, shocked and heart-broken over her husband just "hadn't gotten around to the Salk vaccine" when she and the three children were innoculated.

A father is now paying a fearful price for his omission. Stricken with paralytic polio involving his respiratory system, he faces the grim possibility of permanent crippling. Before his physical status can be determined, however, he must undergo extensive treatment and long-term rehabilitation.

Heart-break is implicit in this situation. But the saddest part of the story and its true tragedy lie in the fact that it need not have happened. Salk vaccine could have spared this young father as it spared his wife and three children. It should be used by people of all ages, from infancy through adulthood. There are no age restrictions on its effectiveness or its use.

The National Foundation has long urged families in all communities to see that their children, teen-agers and adults, too, get inoculated with three shots of Salk vaccine to protect them from paralytic polio attack.

Nuggets of Thought

The popular conception of a strengthening diet is a chicken wrung out in hot water—Martin Fisher.

The real problem presented by your free time is how to keep other people from using it.—Bert Park.

The devil is a gentleman who never goes where he is not welcome.—John A. Lincoln.

Amusement is the happiness of those who cannot think.—Alexander Pope.

Sweet are the uses of adversity to the party it didn't happen to.—Anonymous.

We are far more liable to catch the vices than the virtues of our associates.—Dennis Diderot.

It is easier to fight for one's principles than to live up to them.—Alfred Adler.

Many a burning issue produces more heat than light.—Herbert V. Prochnow.

What people say behind your back is your standing in the community.—Edwar W. Howe.

The trouble with the world is that the stupid are sure and the intelligent full of doubt.—Bertrand Russell.

The measure of a man is the inconvenience the world would suffer if he were knocked on the head.—Henry Steiner.

THE HAMLIN HERALD, HAMLIN, JONES COUNTY, TEXAS**RECALLING
Other Years**

★ Being news items taken from old files of Your Home Town Newspaper, The Herald.

THIRTY YEARS AGO

In checking over our early day files of The Hamlin Herald we find the following items of interest taken from the issue dated February 22, 1929:

Truett May, student in Simons University at Abilene, spent the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. P. May.

Despite the lull in building that must come during the winter months, several new houses in the city are nearing completion. During the past year more new houses have been built in Hamlin than ever before in the same length of time since the first building of the town.

Homer Massey of the Chamber of Commerce says that work on the new water site northeast of town is progressing nicely.

Dr. and Mrs. A. E. Pardue and Mrs. Velma Pardue King spent a few days in San Angelo this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Neinast of Sweetwater were guests Sunday in the home of Mrs. Mart Farrow and Rev. and Mrs. J. Henry Littleton. Mrs. Neinast will be remembered here as Thelma Sykes, a former teacher in the Hamlin schools.

Contract was let first of the week by City of Hamlin officials for construction of a new city lake north of town on The Diamond Ranch. Joe Winslett was low bidder on the \$108,000 project that is expected to provide water for a city of 25,000 people.

TWENTY YEARS AGO

Among items of interest in the Hamlin community 20 years ago were the following, reprinted from the issue of The Hamlin Herald dated February 17, 1939:

Superintendent of Schools C. G. Green this week is urging that everyone who has delinquent taxes due the school district to make a special effort to pay them, as the schools are being pressed for operating funds.

Using a Valentine theme, Virginia Sue Flowers entertained members of the Philathelia Sunday School Class of the First Baptist Church Tuesday evening in her home. Present were Elva Greenway, teacher; Juanita Harbert, Kathleen Elliott, Mary Stovall, Dorothy Hines, Betty Myrl Routh, Ruth Eckler, Inez Howard and the hostess.

Clover Farm Store advertises the following specials: Three-pound can Crisco, 53 cents; family style steak, 17 cents; pound bars, No. 2½, 21 cents.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Wagner and son Jerry, visited Mrs. Wagner's brother, Billy Fomby, and sister, Grace Fomby, Sunday at Kermit.

TEN YEARS AGO

News items of interest in the Hamlin community 10 years ago included the following, reproduced from the issue of The Hamlin Herald dated February 17, 1949:

Record number of entries for the annual Club Boys' Livestock Show, to be held this year at Anson on March 4, is in prospect, according to W. H. Lehmburg, county agent.

Haskell W. Carter was elected president and W. C. Russell vice president of the Hamlin Chamber of Commerce when directors of the civic group met Tuesday morning in business session.

Hamlin Pied Piper basketballers closed their 1949 season Friday night with a 47 to 26 defeat of the Stamford eagles. The victory gave the Pipers a season percentage of .500 in District 6-A.

FIVE YEARS AGO

Goings-on in the community five years ago included the following as recorded in The Hamlin Herald dated February 19, 1954:

Around 400 people are expected to attend the annual membership banquet of the Hamlin Chamber of Commerce Thursday night at the Junior High School auditorium, according to CC officials.

Construction workers for the big \$500,000 gas plant of the Texas Pacific Coal & Oil Company gas plant, to be built northwest of Hamlin, have arrived on the job.

Total of 49,176 bales of cotton had been ginned in Jones County prior to January 16, according to the latest government report.

ONE YEAR AGO

The following news bits were taken from the issue of the Hamlin Herald dated February 20, 1958:

Navy Lieutenant Commander M. O. Allen, son of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Allen of Hamlin, is serving with a military group in Antarctica on a South Pole expedition.

About half a mile of six-inch water main is being laid by the City of Hamlin in western sections of town.

Closed Circuit TV to Facilitate Sales During Auctions at Fort Worth Market

Arrangements have been completed by the Fort Worth Livestock Market Institute for installation of a closed circuit television camera to flash the weighing of cattle into the sale arena on March 5, declares Ted Gouldy, special market reporter for The Herald, in his weekly market release. The release continues: The television camera will be set up in a scale house about 200 feet from the sale arena and the weight and lot number will be flashed onto a monitor above and behind the auctioneer's stand in the sale arena.

Sheep and lambs were slow at Fort Worth Monday, and some sales of slaughter lambs were a little easier. Feeder lambs were steady. Good and choice milk fat lambs cashed at \$18 and \$18.50, and good and choice old crop lambs sold at \$16.50 to \$17.50, with a few strictly choice club lambs to \$18. Heavy lambs of 105 to 111 pounds scored \$17. Stocker and feeder lambs sold for \$15.50 to \$17.50, slaughter ewes drew \$8 to \$8.50. Slaughter bucks drew \$7.50. Wooled feeder lambs sold to \$18.

Details for the TV coverage of the weighing were worked out last week with Carter Engineering Company of Dallas, after Manager Ted Gouldy of the institute had called in Ivan Harrison of Dallas and Rupert Bogen, technical chief at WBAL-TV, to work out details of the pick-up.

The camera will literally "look over the shoulder" of the weighmasters in the scale house, which houses two sets of scales. As soon as the weight is officially stamped on the scale ticket the weighmaster will put the lot number and weight total before the lens where it will be available to those in the sale area in another building nearly a block away.

This will enable the buyers to tell better what they are doing," Gouldy said. "Weight is an important factor not only from the size of cattle desired, but also it will enable the alert buyer to keep abreast of the numbers of carloads of cattle he is getting."

The sale will be the first one in which cattle have been auctioned on the Fort Worth stockyards in 36 years, and the auction will be held in the livestock exhibit building immediately behind the North Side Coliseum.

Many stockmen are among the buyers who have asked for reservations in the reserved seats in the

Gouldy said, and a number of out-of-town packers have signified they will be on hand. Pratt Packing Company of Sulphur Springs was the first of these to make a reservation for his two buyers. T. C. Lupton, Dallas businessman and rancher at Mesquite, was the first rancher to make a reservation.

Private treaty selling of the cattle will start at 8:00 a. m., and auction selling will get underway at 10:00 a. m.

"We included auction selling in the 1959 series of special sales at the request of many buyers and many stockmen who have used the sale previously," Gouldy said. "Many buyers feel it is easier to get a chance to bid for cattle in the auction type of sale, so for those who prefer to buy or sell by this method, we will have it."

A team of auctioneers will alternate in selling the cattle, and special arrangements are being made to facilitate the movement of the cattle to the shipping division for the convenience of the buyers.

Trade on cattle and cattle was rather slow at Fort Worth Monday. Mature fed steers and slaughter calves faced weak to 50 cents lower rates. Fat cows were steady to weak, and cannery and cutters and bulls cashed at steady prices. Stockers were generally steady, although some heavier weight and plainer kinds of stocker calves were steady to weak.

Good and choice slaughter steers and yearlings drew \$25.50 to \$27.50, and a few baby beef yearlings and heifers sold to \$28 and better. Medium and plain steers and yearlings sold to \$26 and better.

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Medium and good stocker steer calves sold from \$28 to \$33, a few lightweights above that figure.

**W. L. Walker, 87, Dies at Post After Stroke Wednesday**

Final rites for another old-timer of the Hamlin community, William Luther Walker, who had been a resident of the section for 35 years, were conducted last Thursday afternoon at the North Central Avenue Baptist Church.

Walker died last Wednesday evening at the Garza County Memorial Hospital in Post following a stroke. He had been visiting a stepson in that city. He was 87 years of age.

Walker, a retired school teacher and salesman, was born November 17, 1871, in Henderson County, Texas, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Walker. He married the former Annie E. Ringgold at Abilene in 1922. The couple moved to this region in 1923. Mrs. Walker died in 1955.

Officiating at the funeral services was Rev. Woodrow McHugh, pastor of the Hamlin church. Deceased was a member of the Church of Christ.

Burial was in the Hamlin East Cemetery under the direction of Hamlin Funeral Home.

Surviving the octogenarian are one step-son, Charlie Wooderson of Post; one sister, Mrs. R. L. Larue of Eustace; one step-grandson and two step-great-grandchildren.

James Woods to Fill Calvary Baptist Pulpit

James Woods, young Hamlin salesman who surrendered to preach last year, will fill the pulpit at the Calvary Baptist Church in South Hamlin Sunday will be James Woods (above), young Hamlin salesman, who surrendered to preach last year.

CHECK SIGNALS

The football coach, dejected because his team was losing, looked down his bench of substitutes and yelled:

"All right, Jones, go in there and get ferocious!"

Jones jumped up with a start and cried, "Sure, coach. What's his number?"

Paul Bryan Lumber Co**HAMLIN, TEXAS**

CLOSED

Monday,
February 23rd
for
Washington's
Birthday

This Bank will observe MONDAY, FEBRUARY 23, as a Legal Holiday in observance of the birthdate of the "Father of Our Country," George Washington (which falls on Sunday, February 22). Washington's great statesmanship, duty and vision laid the foundation for our great nation.

Patrons having transactions with the bank will please arrange their business affairs with this holiday in mind.

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FUTURE TEACHERS OF COUNTY HONORED AT MONDAY MEETING OF TEACHER UNIT

Future Teachers of Jones County were special guest when members of the Jones County Teachers local unit of the Texas State Teachers Association met Monday evening in Stamford High School auditorium. Mrs. Joe Breed of Anson, president of the unit, presided over the business session.

Everett Beaver, Jones County school superintendent, who is chairman of the legislative committee, gave a concise report on current bills before the Legislature. He urged all administrators to attend the TSTA legislative workshop, which is to be held at Haskell February 25.

Special entertainment for the meeting was provided by Band Director W. E. Mayes of Stamford.

WAY TO FIGHT PINK BOLLWORMS IN COTTON PRESENTED IN LEAFLET

Cotton farmers of the Hamlin territory will be interested in a new leaflet, "Ways to Fight the Pink Bollworm in Texas," just released by the Texas Agricultural Extension Service.

The leaflet states that pink bollworm infestations now are generally distributed throughout the state and, if serious losses are to be avoided, it is essential that a sound program be planned and carried out in 1959.

Several ways to fight the pink bollworm are discussed at length in the leaflet. Some of the methods are keeping soil moisture high; uniform short planting period; using insecticides and miticides; stopping irrigation after maximum bolls are set; harvesting and destroying stalks early; and preventing winter carry-over.

Recommendations in the leaflet are based upon results of experiments conducted by the Texas Agricultural Experiment Station and the entomology research division of the Agricultural Research Service of the U. S. Department of Agriculture. It is available free of charge from local county agents or the Agricultural Information Office, College Station, Texas. Ask for L-219.

ANY FRINGE BENEFITS?

Ten-year-old Johnny applied for a job as a grocery boy in the summer. The grocer wanted a serious minded boy, so he put him to a little test.

"What would you do with a million dollars?" the grocer asked. "Oh," answered Johnny. "I wasn't expecting quite that much to start."

INCOME TAX TIME IS HERE!

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LAST B-36 AIRPLANE—Against background of the last active B-36 whose flight ended at Amon Carter Field near Fort Worth, Captain C. W. Bigham (left) of Biggs Air Force Base near El Paso, receives a world globe symbolizing his completion of 5,000 hours flown in a B-36 from Frank Davis, vice president and general manager of Convair's Fort Worth plant.

YOUNGSTERS AT HAMLIN PRIMARY SCHOOL GET VISION OF WHERE POLIO DIMES GO

Hamlin school children are some of the most liberal givers in the annual March of Dimes campaign, recently completed in the community. Their teachers are drive campaign workers will tell you that the pennies, nickels and dimes of these youngsters are among the cherished results of the annual drive for funds for the National Foundation.

The kids' contributions may not run into many dollars—but, like the widow's mite of the Bible, their contributions may be among the most liberal of the campaign.

Mrs. Fred Smith, principal of Hamlin Primary School will tell you that pupils in her school get "really wrought up" over the drive each year. "Those little blue plastic crutches that are presented to every child who gives even a penny to the campaign are popular souvenirs," she says.

The children wear them proudly. And, to be sure, they make an impression on the youngsters' thinking, too. This fact makes each succeeding drive easier because they are made to realize that they are helping others—in most instances youngsters of similar ages—to walk or otherwise overcome handicaps.

Several days ago the students at the Primary School got a first hand view of where their pennies and nickels and dimes go.

Adella Perez, an eight-year-old pupil in the second grade, since birth has had a crippled foot that caused her to walk on the side of the member in a painful pose that seemed to cramp her whole body. But, as a result of action by the school nurse, Mrs. Bill Davis, the child was taken to a specialist at the Abilene Rehabilitation Center and given treatment and aid. Her right foot was fitted with a special corrective shoe and a brace put on her lower limb. Now she is walking nearly normally, and complete recovery is expected within a few months.

Bill for the child's treatment and corrective equipment is being taken care of by the Jones County unit of the National Foundation, says Mrs. Ned Moore of Hamlin, county chairman.

Incidentally, 60 per cent of the money collected in the recent March of Dimes remains in the county for just such work, it is explained.

LOST AND FOUND.

Jesse Block and his wife, Eve Sully, the vaudeville stars, returned to their dressing room at the Palladium in London to find a thief had taken their jewelry.

They called Scotland Yard and a detective arrived complete with derby, pipe and umbrella. He questioned everyone so thoroughly there was no doubt in anyone's mind the jewels would soon be recovered.

The following day there was a phone call. "Mr. Block, this is Inspector Gray of Scotland Yard."

"Yes, yes," answered Block.

"You've found our jewels?"

"No—but have you found my umbrella? I think I left it in your dressing room."

STILL REMINDED.

A first grader's mother put a bowl of soup in front of him. He halter his first spoonful in mid-air and examined it with a frown. "What's the matter?" she asked.

"Alphabet soup!" he snorted.

"Gee whiz, can't you let a fellow forget school even for a minute?"

COUNTY BOND SALES

GOAL FOR 1959 IS

Placed at \$487,000

Fay Atkinson and Buna Rountree of Hamlin last Thursday attended a district savings bond meeting at Abilene, when the 1959 savings bonds goal were announced.

The planning meeting was attended by bankers, bond volunteers and others from all counties in District 16, which includes Callahan, Eastland, Fisher, Haskell, Jones, Nolan, Shackelford, Stephens and Taylor Counties. Joe Smith, district chairman, presided at the meeting, which was sponsored by the West Texas Utilities Company.

"The 1959 goal for Texas is \$182,500,000, and the goal for Jones County is \$487,000," A. C. Humphrey, Jones County bond chairman, announced.

Harry Phillips, vice president of the First National Bank of Fort Worth and Fort Worth district bond chairman, was the key speaker at the meeting. Phillips, who represented the state of Texas at the national savings bond program, is a vital part of our country's defense efforts.

"Main theme of the bond program in 1959 will be to strengthen America's peace power—buy U. S. bonds," Phillips said.

Treasury citations were presented to those county chairmen who achieved their 1958 sales goals. Chairmen receiving awards

HAS FAMILIAR RING.

Pastor—"Your daughter is quite young to get married. Do you think she's ready for the battle of life?"

Mother—"Well, Reverend, she ought to be prepared. She's already been through three engagements."

were Guy Parker of Eastland County, Dan Castles of Taylor County, Howard Farmer of Callahan County, J. N. Dulaney of Nolan County, John F. Sedwick of Shackelford County, and A. C. Humphrey of Jones County; as well as Joe Smith, district chairman.

EIGHTH GRADERS TAKE OCCUPATIONAL TESTS

Each eighth grade student at Hamlin Junior High School has been given the California Occupational interest for intermediates, announces Principal M. D. Carlton. These tests are to aid the student in selecting high school courses which will be of value in occupational training.

Parents are urged to contact the junior high principal and arrange to see the cumulative folder of their child.

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The Herald's Page for Women



Almeta Niedecken Becomes Bride of Stanley Kirby in Saturday Home Rites

In a double ring ceremony performed Saturday evening in the home of the bride's parents, Almeta Niedecken became the bride of Stanley Kirby of Anson. The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. B. W. Niedecken, and parents of the bridegroom are Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Kirby of Anson.

Rev. Calvin Bailey, pastor of the First Baptist Church, performed the double ring ceremony before the fire-place decorated with baskets of white stock and fern, flanked by candelabra holding white tapers.

Candle-lighters were Cynthia Lewis of Odessa, niece of the bridegroom, and Danny Niedecken of Hamlin, brother of the bride.

Mrs. Ray Wiseman of Haskell, aunt of the bridegroom, pianist, accompanied Jack Wilson of Anson, who sang "Because," "I Love You Truly" and "The Lord's Prayer." Mrs. Wiseman also played the traditional wedding music.

The bride, given in marriage by her father, wore a white gown of acetate lace over acetate taffeta. The neckline was scalloped square with scalloped pleated in set net in the front with pointed sleeves. It had a long molded bodice in the back and a butterfly bow in the back. She wore pearls, a gift from the bridegroom. She carried a white Bible with camellias and roses tied with satin streamers. Her waist length veil fell from a small half-hat fashioned of white leaves, orange blossoms and rhinestones.

PLAUSIBLE ALIBI.

A Los Angeles high school teacher received this note from a parent:

"Please excuse my son from his Spanish class. His throat is so sore he can hardly speak English."

Advanced Clothing Workshops Planned At Points in County

Advanced clothing workshops will be conducted in Jones County, announces Mary Y. Newberry Jones County home demonstration agent. Home Demonstration Club members and non-club members interested are invited to attend. The following meetings have already been set:

Tuxedo School House, February 19, at 2:30 p. m. If you are interested in attending this workshop and cannot attend this first meeting, contact Mrs. J. W. Ossment, Mrs. Roy Williams or the agent.

Stith Community Center, Friday, February 20, at 2:00 p. m. Mrs. H. H. Windham, Mrs. Karl Bonneaux, Mrs. F. M. Cox or Mrs. John Glenwinkle can be contacted on this meeting if you are unable to attend the first meeting. This workshop is planned for women in the Goodman, Compere and Stith communities.

Avoca workshop, date to be announced later. Contact Mrs. C. R. Foster if you are interested and want to enroll.

THESE WOMEN!

By d'Alessio



"Certainly I can be trusted to arrange an appointment for you with the boss! When I'm bribed, I stay bribed!"

Wise Teen Learns Early to Arrange Balanced Wardrobe for Dressing Well

It's a wise teen who learns right early that it is a balanced wardrobe that will keep her well dressed at all times at all places.

And it's a wise mother who realizes when the right time comes to let her daughter shop for her own clothes, even though she may make a few mistakes.

Whether you are solely on a clothes allowance provided by your parents or if you have earned your clothing dollars by baby sitting, you will want to make your money count.

When you are tempted to buy a pretty plaid blouse, stop and think whether you have a plain skirt to go with it. A patterned or striped one simply will not do. If buying the plaid blouse would necessitate investing in a new skirt, when you can't afford it, forget it.

A fancy dress may be on sale at a fantastically low price and may be just your size. But be firm. If you have no place to wear such a garment, it's not a good buy.

When you buy a sweater, buy a good one. It will take two years hard wear if you give it care. One of the new cold water soaps will keep your sweaters looking grand.

A teen-ager's balanced wardrobe might include a neutral colored skirt, a tweed skirt, a matching sweater and skirt (in a shade that will go with the tweed skirt), two white blouses, one autumn-winter cotton dress,

a winter coat, a car coat, a raincoat, a pair of low-heeled shoes, and a pair of suede or calf pumps.

And, once you get your wardrobe assembled, keep it in excellent condition. Then you'll always have that bandbox appearance.

CANDID COMMENT.

While watching a movie heroine's pitiful struggle to find true love, a husband became more and more annoyed with his wife's sniffles. Finally he demanded, "Why is it you cry over the imaginary woes of people you never met?"

"For the same reason," his wife snapped back, "that you yell and scream when a man you don't know hits a home run!"

Xi Gamma Phi Unit Meets Thursday in Gerald Young Home

Members of the Xi Gamma Phi chapter of Beta Sigma Phi met last Thursday evening in the home of Mrs. Gerald Young.

Cake and coffee were served to the following as they arrived: Mmes. Earl Smith, Holly Toler, Weldon Griggs, Arlie Cassle, E. J. Hawkins, John Bryant, Bill Feagan, Weldon Carlton, W. T. Johnson and Jerry Waggoner.

An invitation was extended to the chapter to the area convention that is to be held in Midland in May. Mrs. Arlie Cassle gave a report from the Woman's Forum.

Final plans were made for the Valentine party which was held on Friday evening at the Dr. E. J. Hawkins home. The other members of Beta Sigma Phi and the husbands of all were guests at the dinner party.

The following members volunteered to take part in the Heart Fund Drive Sunday afternoon: Mmes. Holly Toler, Gerald Young, E. D. Perrin, E. J. M. Weldon Griggs and others.

Mrs. Weldon Griggs is an interesting person in her standing Art."

Next meeting of the sorority group will be in the home of Mrs. Earl Smith.

Hamlin Beauticians Attend Dallas Show

Mmes. Jackie Fletcher and Ned Raney, Hamlin beauty shop operators, were among the hundreds of Texas hair stylists who attended the All Texas Beauty Show at the Adolphus Hotel in Dallas February 8, 9 and 10.

The program of entertainment, contests and demonstrations featured Marion Richards, hair stylist, educator and fashion coordinator; and R. V. Hays, renowned stylist, educator and lecturer.

Sharing Activities with Children May Be Key to Wholesome Relationships

A program of sharing activities should begin when children are young. Then parents are less likely to encounter the day when a child "clams up" and says nothing about his daily routine.

Toddlers and pre-schoolers naturally share in their mother's home activities because they are with her. But when a child enters school and goes into the lower and middle grades, many parents forget to share their life—their day's activities—after the child comes home from school.

Children wonder, perhaps unconsciously, what mother did all day, but they don't think to ask. Mother asks how their day went in school, but she, too, doesn't think to tell her children of her day at home. After mother goes to a party, she often relates the incidents in detail to her husband but not to her children.

Children also wonder and should know about dad's day. What does he do all day? What happens when he goes to evening meetings?

Children of all ages love to hear stories. If you've had an especially good day, what they want to enjoy your happiness with you. Or, if you've had a day when everything went wrong, you they understand why you are a bit cross.

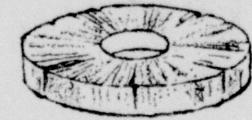
Developing this share of interest between parent and child also

MUSIC LOVER.

Teen-ager (as the radio ground out the final notes of the latest hit of swing) "Did you ever hear anything so wonderful?"

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Aansion of Rehabilitation Center Abilene Will Broaden Facilities

of the Hamlin territory interested in proposed expansion of the West Texas Rehabilitation Center at Abilene, where many of people have received treatment at the center, dedicated relief of crippling diseases, crippled and retarded children.

Tate May of Hamlin is a member of the board of directors, Hank W. Meyers Jr., president of the board of directors of the Texas Rehabilitation Center, announced recently awarding of a contract for new occupational therapy workshop at the center.

The contract was awarded to the Construction Company for \$241, and sub-contractors are

Demonstration Given in Selection and Use of Dress Patterns

"Selection and Use of Patterns" is the demonstration which Mrs. Mary Y. Newberry, home demonstration agent, conducted in her office Thursday morning for Home Demonstration Club clothing leaders. Twenty-two attended the meeting.

How to select the right size, type, style and make of pattern for the individual, how to take measurements for selecting patterns, how to tape and fit patterns and making alterations in a pattern were among the things discussed and demonstrated at the meeting. The leaders will in turn give the demonstrations in their own clubs in the various communities. Non-club members are invited to attend the community club meetings.

Those attending the meeting were Mmes. T. C. McDuff; Newman West, Carroll White, R. L. Hines, James Overton, E. O. Young, M. S. Johnson, C. L. Morris, George Harrell, Roy Williams, J. W. Osment, C. R. Foster, C. E. Carlton, Walter Love, Ab Hunter Jr., Kenneth Vancil, Don Scott, Buck Joiner, James Brown, Earl Bonneaux and Fern Windham.

Agent Demonstrates Use of Accessories

Mrs. Sol Branscum was hostess when members of the Friendship Home Demonstration Club met last Friday afternoon in the Harden Memorial Library for their regular meeting.

Mary Y. Newberry, the county home demonstration agent, gave examples of how to take a basic dress and, by changing accessories, be smartly dressed for any occasion.

There were nine members present for the session.

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The Hamlin Herald

Your Home Town Paper



Good Neighbor Club Gives \$25.50 to Area March of Dimes Drive

A collection of \$25.50 was made to the March of Dimes drive of the National Foundation when members of the Good Neighbor Home Demonstration Club met January 27 in the Neinda community center. The funds were turned over to John Scarborough, Neinda community chairman for the campaign.

A program on "Housecleaning Made Easier" was presented by Mrs. L. R. Faulknerberry and Mrs. Elmer Joiner, with seven members present.

Mrs. Sam Hodges was elected as delegate to the Woman's Forum. The club also voted to buy one chair for the club room at the Harden Memorial Library in Hamlin.

On February 19 the club met with seven members present. The program was on "Selecting and Using Patterns," presented by the clothing leaders, Mrs. James Brown and Mrs. Euck Joiner.

Mrs. Mary Y. Newberry, the county home demonstration agent, will meet with the club group on February 24 for a demonstration on accessories. This is a very important program in the club series on clothing, and all members are urged to make a special effort to be present.

Brenda Lynette Fincannon of Hamlin and Samuel Gilbert Carothers of Swink, Oklahoma, exchanged wedding vows Monday of last week at the First Baptist Church in Haskell. Rev. M. D. Rexrode, pastor, officiated at the double ring ceremony.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Fincannon of Hamlin. Parents of the bride-groom are Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Carothers of Swink, Oklahoma.

The bride has been a student in Hamlin High School.

The newlyweds are making their home in Oklahoma.

MARRIED Monday of last week in rites performed at the First Baptist Church in Haskell was the former Brenda Fincannon (above). Her bridegroom is Samuel Gilbert Carothers of Swink, Oklahoma.

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Two New Members Received Friday by Hamlin Garden Club

Two new members, Mrs. C. F. Copeland and Mrs. C. W. Willingham, were elected to membership in the Hamlin Garden Club last Friday to take the place of two resignations. The session was held in the home of Mrs. Edgar Duncan.

Program leader for the evening was Mrs. Harold Farmer, and theme for the meeting was "Landscaping for the Future."

Mrs. R. D. Moore brought an interesting discussion on "Selecting and Locating Trees." Mrs. L. B. Gage pointed out the importance of "The Service Area."

She compared the great difference in the service area of today from that of even 30 years ago.

The couple are at home on a farm at Truby.

Literary Club to Have Mrs. Dudley Review

At a recent meeting of the Woman's Literary Club plans were made to sponsor Mrs. L. E. Dudley in a book review. Mrs. Dudley is a well known Abilene civic worker, club woman and book reviewer. She is donating her services in the interest of the State Federation project of nursing scholarships.

The review will be given Thursday, February 26, at 3:00 o'clock p.m. in the Primary School cafeteria. Tickets are 50 cents and may be obtained from Mrs. Arlie Cassie or any club woman, or they will be available at the door.

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Father-Daughter Banquet Planned by Sunshine Bluebirds

The Sunshiners, fourth grade group of Bluebirds, met Monday afternoon at the Camp Fire Girls hut for their weekly meeting. They made plans for the annual father-daughter banquet, which will be held February 28 at 7:00 p.m. in the new high school gymnasium.

The girls exchanged Valentines. Vicki Acklin was honored with a birthday party, and gifts were opened by Vicki. Mrs. I. D. Acklin served cake and punch, and had Valentine suckers for plate favors.

Those attending were Jackie Jenkins, Joy Bonds, Margaret Ann Johnson, Linda Goodwin, Jeanie Young, Belinda Woods, Brenda Lee, Teresa Gabriel, Janet Kelly, Sue Roddy, Lynn Brannon, Betty Daniels, Sherry Cox, Suzanne Wicker, Louise Lujan, Mary Ann Van Duren and Vicki Acklin; Mary Lou Woods, mascot; Letha Brannon, leaders; Clara Woods, assistant leader; Billie M. Wickler, sponsor; Mrs. I. D. Acklin and Paula Acklin.

GOOD QUESTION.

Lecturer—"Now, is there anyone here who would like to ask a question?"

Someone in the Audience—"Yeah, what time is it?"

ture and promises to worsen as Texas' population increases with greater and greater rapidity.

Tell a child to be careful when riding a bicycle, or not to dash into the street if little avail if he sees father driving past a stop sign or mother jay-walking to the dress shop across the street.

If you doubt that parents are safety thoughtless, ask any school patrol boy. He will tell you that it is generally the parents who have the least regard for traffic safety rules; it is the parents who do the double parking ("I was just letting my child out and was going to move on in a minute").

ANNOUNCING THE OPENING OF HAMLIN'S NEWEST STYLE SHOP

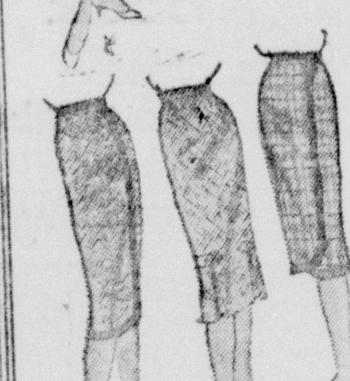
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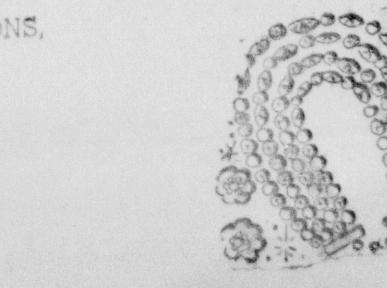
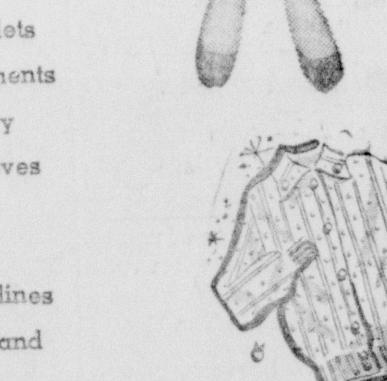
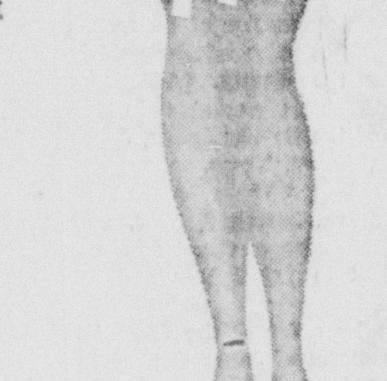
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Fifty-Two Study Club To Honor Presidents

Next meeting of the Fifty-Two Study Club will be the Federation Day tea honoring past presidents on February 20.

Hostesses will be Mmes. E. J. Croan, W. G. Ferguson, Jerry Howard, L. A. Joiner, Dale Laia and Dean Witt at the home of Mrs. Noel Weaver.

The past presidents to be honored are Mmes. Jack Richey, Fred B. Moore Jr., Joe League, Wilson Brannon, Dean Witt and Noel Weaver. Guest speaker will be Mrs. Dave P. Walker of the Pierian Club of Stamford.

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The Herald's Page of Sports

Track and Field Workouts Begin on Heels of Cage Race

Lots of Material Seen from Which To Build Teams

Athletes of Hamlin High School entered a new cycle of training this week as the track and field regime took over following the close last week-end of the basketball season.

Coach Jimmy Vaughan had a sizeable bunch of boys report for initial sessions first of the week, but he was hesitant to say much about their possibilities until he gets to see the fellows in a little more action.

Among those reporting so far are two seniors from last year's track and field events. Bob Martin will probably be a member of the mile relay squad. John Richey will appear in the spring relay, low hurdles and 100-yard dash.

Among juniors are Ken Penwell who will be fodder for the quarter mile, mile relay, 100-yard dash, sprint relay and broad jump. Victor Criswell will probably come out for the quarter mile and sprint relay. Richard Wingerter is tabbed for the 800-yard event and other distance sections. Other juniors out are Sam Mack Hodges, Dwight Griggs and Tobe Shultz.

Sophomores reporting so far are Robert Brandon, Larry Upshaw, Julie Post, Jackie Haught, Ned George Jr., David Bonds, Gary Cooper and Bob Murff.

Freshman hopefuls are Jimmy Cooper, Duke Nielson, Bill Richey, Franklin Lee, Stanley Austin, Joe Gross and Jerry Duncan.

Pied Pipers Wind Up Cage Season With Haskell Loss

Hamlin High School's Bulldogs defeated Anson Tuesday night on the Stamford courts to take the District 6-AA basketball title. The final score was 65 to 40.

Hamlin has won the championship seven of the past eight years. Last season the Bulldogs tied with Haskell and lost in the play-off for the title. The Anson victory gave them their seventh game of the year to one loss.

At half-time Stamford held a 24 to 18 lead.

Donald Davis was high pointer in the Friday night game with 17 points. Robert Wilson, Larry Lindsey and Gary McCaleb each hit nine markers for the losers.

Stamford also won the B tilt by a 57 to 34 count, paced by Ronnie Gedoff with 14 points. Day Parker had nine for Anson.

Mac who is willing to make the best of it seldom gets the worst of it.

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Governor Daniel Salutes 4-H Club Week in Texas

By proclamation, Governor Price Daniel has designated the week of February 28-March 7 as 4-H Club Week in Texas, which will be observed in Jones County by scores of club members. The week is also being observed nationally.

"In 1914," Governor Daniel said, "the United States government invested in the rural youth of our nation through the 4-H Club program. Since that time more than 20,000,000 young people have received the benefits of this vast program and become 4-H alumni. These alumni are engaged in farming, ranching, home-making and a variety of other occupations. Throughout Texas and the nation a special salute is extended to them."

In a letter to the 111,000 4-H Club members in Texas the governor said, "Since the 4-H Club program was organized 50 years ago members of your organization have made outstanding contributions to the material wealth of Texas and the nation. More important, as young people, you represent the richest resource of our state."

"I extend sincere congratulations to each of you on your fine accomplishments of the past year and join the people of Texas in saluting you, your parents, adult leaders and friends who make this program possible."

"Please accept my best wishes for 1959 and the years ahead. May you continue to build yourselves, your homes and your communities, and thus help build our state and country. The future holds bright promise for our land, and as 4-H Club members you have a vital share of this future."

Plans for observing 4-H Club Week are being perfected in the counties and will include special recognition for 4-H alumni. More than 1,000,000 Texas young people have been 4-H members during the past 50 years. Today 4-H alumni are leaders in business, industry, the professions and government, and are among the strongest supporters of the Agricultural Extension Service sponsored organization.

Several men of the Faith and First Methodist Church of Hamlin Tuesday evening attended a sub-district meeting of Methodist Men at the Rotan Methodist Church.

Attendees were served supper by the host men, and a program followed in the church auditorium.

The Rotan meeting had been previously set twice, but due to bad weather, it had been postponed.

STRICTLY BUSINESS

by McFeatters



"I think you're ready for something bigger, Mervin!"

Hamlin Junior High Girls Win Conference Loop Championship

Hamlin's Junior High School girls posted a five win, one lost record in conference basketball play to win the loop trophy for

the season that ended Monday night. The girls had a season record of 17 wins against five defeats.

Hamlin's eighth grade boys were one to five in conference play, defeating Albany and dropping two one-point decisions to Merkel. The boys had a season record of five victories 14 losses.

Final conference standings for the two junior high school groups follow:

Boys—	P.	W.	L.	Pet.
Albany	6	5	1	.833
Anson	6	4	2	.666
Merkel	6	2	4	.333
Hamlin	6	1	5	.166

Girls—	P.	W.	L.	Pet.
Hamlin	6	5	1	.833
Albany	6	4	2	.666
Anson	6	2	3	.500
Merkel	6	0	6	.000

See The Herald for paper clips.

Junior High Cage Teams Close Season With Two Wins, One Loss at Albany

Harry Martin's Junior High School teams closed out the 1958 basketball season with two wins and a loss at Albany Monday night.

The Hamlin girls won the battle for the conference championship by downing the Albany girls 16 to 10 (the same score by which Albany had beaten Hamlin in the early season in their only loss of the year). Hamlin's seventh grade boys gave the Albany seventh graders their first and only loss of the year by a score of 37 to 29. The Hamlin eighth grade boys couldn't solve the Albany defense and went down 30 to 9 after trailing at half-time by a score of 7 to 5.

Billy Blankenship dropped in 10 points to lead the Hamlin girls to the championship. Lazena Weaver scored the other six points. Hamlin's guards turned in the best game of the year in holding Albany to only two field goals and six free pitches. The guards were Mary Beth Hall, Arlene Waldon and Mary Dene Rountree.

Ronnie Teichman enjoyed his best night of the year in scoring 14 points in leading the seventh graders to their victory. Jimmy Inzer and Cleon Warner each tallied six points. Ronnie Sipe and Speck Cox scored four points each. Gary Ted Jay bucketed three points. The seventh graders won five and lost three games for the year.

Four boys scored two points each for Hamlin in the eighth grade tilt. They were Mike Martin, Tommy Shilburne, Anthony Wood and O. M. Weaver. Dan Newberry hit one free pitch. The Hamlin boys couldn't work inside the Albany zone defense and failed to connect on the long shot.

CANT FIND WORDS.
Bob—"What's the hardest thing to explain?"
Bill—"I don't know. I can't explain it."

All men are created equal—and endowed by their Creator with an inextinguishable urge to become otherwise.

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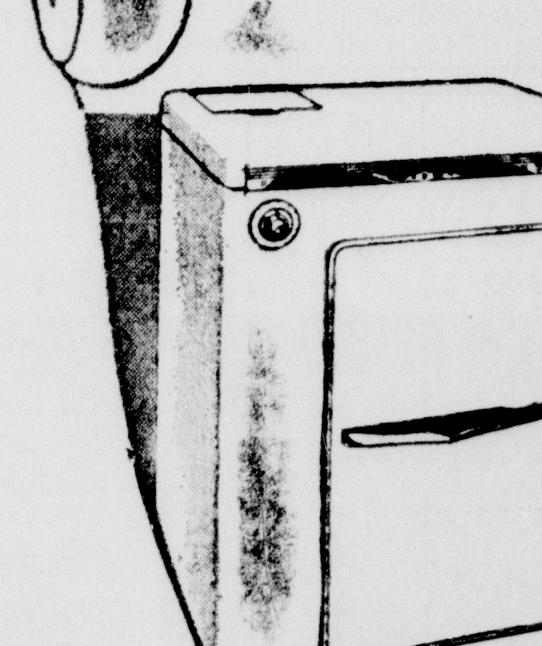
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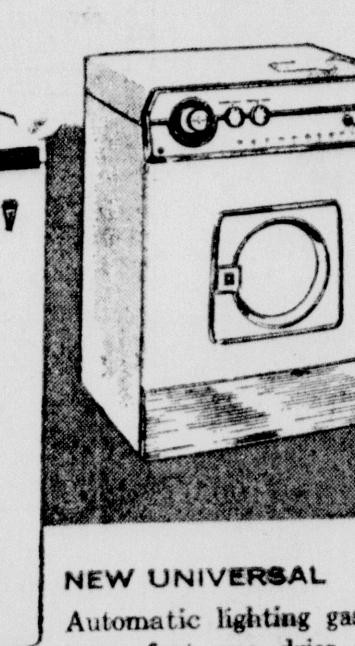
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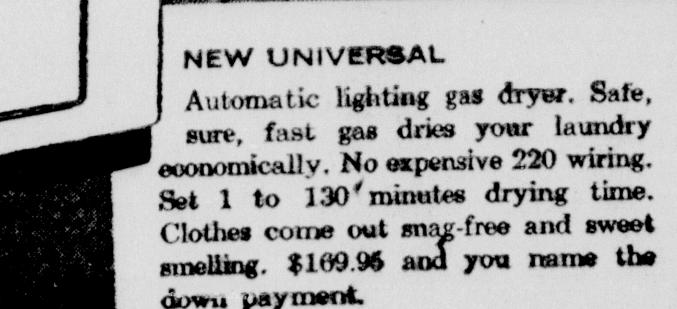
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NOTICE TO BIDDERS

Noice is hereby given that the Commissioners Court of Jones County, Texas, will receive bids until 10:00 a. m., March 9, 1958, for the following improvements to be installed in the courthouse:

Hot and chilled water air conditioning system on basement, second and third floors of courthouse with a 2-ton absorption chiller with 21 new room air conditioner units to be connected to existing chilled air system. All labor and material to be furnished by the contractor and contractor shall complete work so that system is working satisfactorily and upon completion of such work the contract price will be paid to him.

Such bids will be opened at 10:00 a. m., March 9, 1958, and the Commissioners Court reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

Done by order of the Commissioners Court of Jones County in open session on the 8th day of February, 1958.—H. C. Andrew, Jr., County Judge, 1c

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Two furnished apartments, — Victoria Courts, South Hamlin. 18-19c

SELL those extra pieces of unused furniture, or rent that extra room with a fast acting, reasonably priced classified ad in The Herald.

FOR RENT—We have four-room furnished apartment February 22. Mrs. Sue Hill, phone 359-W. 18-29c

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FOR RENT—Furnished apartment—Lila Herbert, 27 North west Avenue D. 18-29c

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FINANCIAL SECURITY for a Qualified Man or Woman, to serve and collect from new type coin operators in this area.

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1959 CAN BE a year of profit for you. Valuable territory for Avon cosmetics now open in this area. Avon customers waiting for service. Must act today. Work real Hamlin. Write District Manager, 1515-35 Eycomore Street, Big Spring, Texas. 16-29c

APPLICATIONS being taken for cook and counter man. —Ferguson Theatre, Hamlin. 16-29c

FINANCIAL SECURITY for a Qualified Man or Woman to serve and collect from cigarette dealers in this area; up to \$200 per month possible; full time or part time; no service charges; no overhead; no expenses; no car, 12 hours a week, and \$200.00 to \$1000.00 cash required.

Must be able to begin immediately. Write to: Manufacturing & Distributing Company, 5646 Milton Gulch, C, Texas. 16-29c

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FOR SALE—Home; best location; small down payment, balance like rent. — Hamlin Motor Company. 46-19c

SELL THOSE extra pieces of furniture or odds and ends around the house with a Herald classified ad.

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RANGE CUBES calf creep pellets, fattener pellets, hog pellets and poultry feeds, fresh from the mill. — Pied Piper Feed Mills, telephone 66, Hamlin, Texas. 5-19c

ROCKWELL BROS. & CO., Lumbermen, COMPLETE ONE-STOP BUILDING SERVICE, FRED C. SMITH, PROPRIETOR, Hamlin, Texas. 16-29c

Less Grasshopper Damage Expected To Crops in 1959

Hamlin area farmers will find encouragement in the report from College Station that grasshoppers are likely to be more widespread in the West and Midwest this summer but are expected to be less destructive than in 1958.

A U. S. Department of Agriculture-state survey made last fall showed almost 23,000,000 acres with enough grasshoppers to damage crops and grass. The effective chemical treatment of some 5,000,000 infested acres last summer not only saved crops and grass but is now paying dividends in fewer grasshoppers.

The total acreage infested in Texas is placed at 3,460,000, according to Texas Agricultural Extension Service entomologists. The heaviest infestations were found in the two northern tiers of counties in the Panhandle and those along the Oklahoma line on the eastern side of the area.

In the South Plains area only spotted infestations were found by the surveyors. The infestation in the north central area was listed as light and these counties are primarily located adjacent to and including the Red River Valley from Childress eastward to Grayson. Other light infestations were noted in McLennan, Coryell and Lampasas Counties in Central Texas and in the river bottom lands of Johnson, Ellis and Navarro Counties.

The entomologists point out that weather conditions between now and hatching time will have a strong bearing on the number of hoppers which emerge from egg beds found during the survey last fall. Cool, wet weather with heavy rains during the spring hatching season could greatly reduce the hopper population, say the entomologists. Predators and grasshopper parasites could also have a pronounced effect on the infestations, they add.

A check will be made this spring during the hatching season to determine the areas where control measures may be needed. Farmers and ranchers in the areas where infestations could cause trouble are advised to keep a close watch on the egg beds during the hatching season.

Cotton Classing to Be Discussed Tuesday at Ericksdahl Meeting

A cotton classing meeting of interest to farmers in this area has been arranged by Kirby Clayton, county agent. Date of the meeting will be Tuesday, February 24, at 7:30 p.m. in the Ericksdahl Lutheran Church, east of Stamford.

John L. McCollum, manager of the southwestern area of the United States Department of Agriculture, cotton classing division, of Dallas, will be in charge of the meeting. He will have a demonstration of standards and staple types and samples for farmers to observe.

Also to be discussed at the meeting is the possibility of setting up a cotton classing office in Stamford.

Everyone interested in cotton production is urged to attend the meeting.

Next Sunday is Heart Sunday



Give to the Heart Fund... Give for Every Heart in Your Family

Representative Leon Thurman Says Legislative Work Gets Rolling Rapidly

This begins another week in the fifty-sixth Legislature, and things have really begun to pick up at a rapid rate, notes Representative Leon Thurman of Anson, in his weekly news release to The Herald. He continues: All committees are now in full swing, and hearings are being had on all bills that have been referred to the committees by the speaker of the house.

The appropriations committee has been in session from 8:00 to 5:00 every day since it was appointed, and other committees are working at various times.

Today there is a meeting of the education committee, of which your representative is a member, for the consideration of three bills. These three bills are: House Bill No. 249 by Foreman, which

National Guardsmen Will Participate in Muster Day Services

Members of the Texas National Guard are planning to participate next Sunday in festivities of Muster Day, which will call attention of people of the country to the National Guard organization.

Eight members of the unit at Stamford are from Hamlin, including First Lieutenant Joe Ford, a long time officer in the group.

Special activities are included in plans for the day. Members will attend church services as a group. During the afternoon the armory and equipment of the Stamford unit will be open for inspection by the public.

The Army National Guard is the oldest military establishment in the United States, older than the nation itself. Two units, the 182nd Infantry Regiment and the 101st Engineer Battalion of the Massachusetts National Guard, were organized in 1636. Since that time, the guard has fought in every major conflict in which the United States has been engaged.

During our early years as a nation, settlers met in the village square to train for their local protection. It is much the same today. Except twentieth century minutemen meet in modern armories instead of on the village green, and train with modern equipment instead of muskets.

MATCHETT HAS SURGERY

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Matchett returned home Monday from Wichita Falls, where Matchett underwent surgery for his ears. Final result of the operation will not be known for about three weeks, his doctors advised.

Gerald W. Tabb of Hamlin Participates In Big Army Alert

A soldier from the Hamlin area recently participated with the Fourth Armored Division in Exercise Free Play, a large scale Seventh Army field training exercise in Germany, according to a release from that unit's base in Germany to The Herald.

He was Private First Class Gerald W. Tabb, whose wife, Evelyn, lives on Route 1, McCauley. The maneuver was designed to determine the readiness of units and to provide further training in the various concepts of modern warfare.

Tabb, a wireman in Headquarters Battery of the Fourth's 16th Artillery, entered the Army in May, 1957, and received basic combat training at Fort Hood, Texas. He arrived in Europe in November, 1957.

The 23-year-old soldier is a 1953 graduate of McCauley High School and was employed by Callaway's Tie Company in Abilene before entering the Army. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. William H. Tabb of Route 3, Hamlin.

A dream girl is one who costs twice as much as you dreamed she would.

Future Farmers of State to Celebrate FFA Special Week

Future Farmers of America of Hamlin High School and others of the state will be celebrating FFA Week beginning Saturday.

Governor Price Daniel and Dr. J. W. Edgar, commissioner of education, complimented the 36,000 Texas Future Farmers this week as the organization prepared to celebrate FFA Week in Texas February 21 to 28.

Bill McDowell, state FFA president, received the proclamation of the special week from Governor Daniel on behalf of the largest state FFA association.

"The FFA is composed of boys who are studying vocational agriculture in the public schools in preparation for careers in farming, ranching and related agricultural occupations. In studying the science of agriculture, these Future Farmers are striving to continuously improve this great industry for the welfare of all citizens," the governor said.

Governor Daniel pointed out the valuable service the FFA has performed for our state by developing leadership, encouraging cooperation, promoting good citizenship, teaching sound methods of farming, and inspiring patriotism among its members.

Dr. Edgar commended the vocational agriculture students in the 900 high schools in the state for their aggressive leadership training program. "Through FFA the boys who have the will, the energy and the foresight are developing into outstanding farmers and ranchers, leaders in their community and well rounded citizens of our country," Edgar added.

Sunday Schools Hold Above-1,200 Total for Sunday Attendance

Sunday School attendance at most Hamlin churches was maintained comparable with the previous week Sunday as the total for the 12 reporting churches stayed above 1,200. The 1,250 total was 26 less than the previous Sunday, but was 39 more than the year ago figure.

Attendance, by churches, for February 15, February 8 and a year ago follows:

Churches	Feb.	Feb.	Year Ago
First Baptist	346	376	357
No. Cen. Baptist	63	83	58
Oak Gr. Col. Baptist	56	52	51
Ch. of Nazarene	84	79	91
Foursquare Gospel	59	73	54
First Methodist	236	233	233
Church of Christ	160	139	188
Faith Methodist	61	50	28
Assembly of God	48	51	28
Sunset Baptist	51	51	48
Mexican Mission	34	32	44
Calvary Baptist	52	57	31
Totals	1250	1276	1211

STUPID QUESTION

Out on Long Island one night a fast moving automobile suddenly jumped the road, leapt over a couple of retaining walls and rolled over on its back in an adjoining field.

A highway patrolman, hard on the speeder's heels, pulled up beside the overturned car.

"What in blazes d'ya think you are doing?" he demanded. "You drunk or something?"

"Cernly I'm drunk," snapped the driver. "Whaddya think I am—a stunt driver?"

Regret for time wasted can become a power for good in the time that remains if we will only stop the waste and the idle, useless regretting.—Arthur Brisbane.

Virtually all sins are expensive. Behave yourself and save the difference.

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Federal Spending Recommendations Given Thorough Study, Says Senator

Let's talk some facts of public office and public life, specifically as it concerns spending, suggests the weekly news letter of U. S. Senator Lyndon B. Johnson to The Herald. The release continues:

No political party has a copyright on Henry Fielding's good advice: "A penny saved is a penny got." The rules of prudence and thrift apply equally well in public office and private life. We all know that. It's common sense."

Those same good rules apply today to the budget recommendations which come to the Congress from the president.

These recommendations go to a committee, then to a sub-committee. They are studied and reviewed line by line and item by item. They are gone over dollar by dollar. Then the Congress determines what it will do with the president's budget recommendations.

Let's take a look at what the Congress has done in the past. It shows more than \$10,000,000 were whittled by the Congress from the budget recommendations.

Total budget cuts by Congress

in the last five fiscal years amounted to \$10,603,874,716.

The Senate this year will take the same hard look at the budget recommendations. In some cases the Senate will add to the recommendations. In others, no doubt, it will reduce the amount.

In this connection it is interesting to note that the president is asking this year for \$825,000,000 more for foreign aid than the Congress was willing to give him last year. That's almost \$1,000,000,000 more money the administration is asking to be sent overseas.

On some recommendations the Senate will agree. But not to simply say, "Me, too." When the year is over, the record will show the Senate has followed a course of prudence, of progress and responsibility.

ILL IN ROTAN HOSPITAL

Ronny Hill, son of Mr. and Mrs. Delmer Hill, and a student in Hamlin High School, is in a Rotan hospital with double pneumonia.

About the time a fellow gets to the point where he thinks nothing is too good for a girl he offers himself.

HAMLIN MEMORIAL HOSPITAL

Patients admitted to the Hamlin Memorial Hospital since last week's report in The Herald have included: Mrs. W. F. Lasseter, medical, February 8; Mike Carroll of Abilene, medical, February 8; M. D. Brown, medical, February 8; James Crowley, medical, February 8; Mrs. R. A. Guthrie, surgical, February 9; C. M. McCain of Sylvester, medical, February 9; Jerry Crowley, medical, February 9; Mrs. L. B. Maberry, medical, February 9; Mrs. Loie Stevens of Rotan, medical, February 9; C. B. McKeever of Aspermont, medical, February 9; Mrs. Bobby Bounds of Wichita Falls, ob., February 9; Mrs. C. S. Robinson of Sylvester, medical, February 10; Ronald Joiner, medical, February 10; Mrs. Martha Musick, February 10; Bob Parker, February 10; Mrs. Albert Neely, medical, February 10; Lanier Foster, February 11; Mrs. Matt Brown, February 11; Mrs. Cliff Crowley, February 11; Donald Scott, medical, February 11; Mrs. Manuel Lechuga, medical, February 11; Mrs. Fred Jay, surgical, February 11; Mrs. Oscar Dickerson of Aspermont, surgical, February 12; Mrs. E. C. Martinez, surgical, February 12; Mrs. Tom Matthews of Peacock, surgical, February 13; Gus Travis, medical, February 13; Mrs. Florence Peters of Roby, medical, February 13; Mrs. Billy W. Jeffrey, ob., February 13; C. H. Irvine, surgical, February 13; Mrs. C. S. Robinson of Sylvester, February 10;

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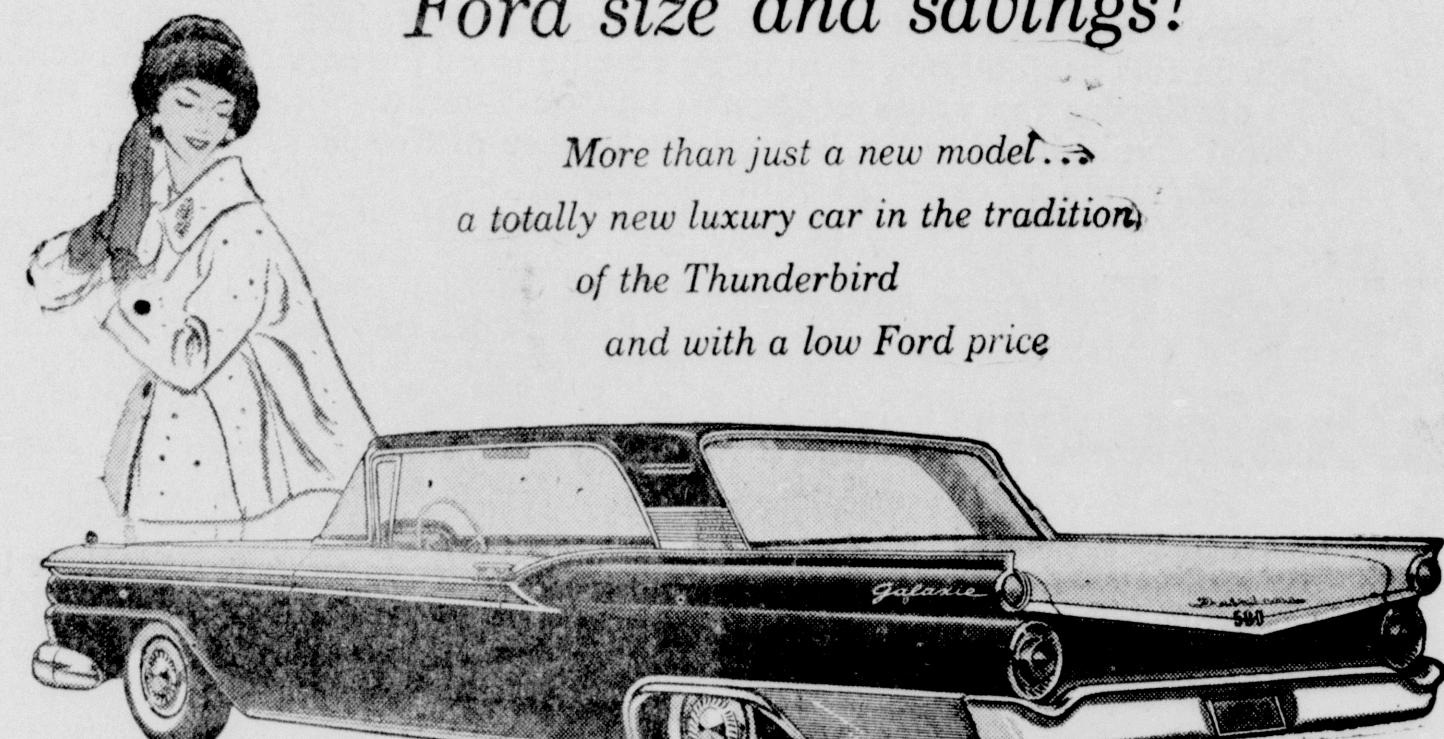
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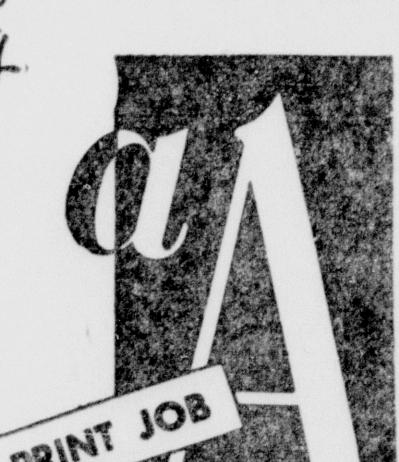
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STATE CAPITAL Highlights AND Sidelights

by Vern Sanford

TEXAS PRESS ASSOCIATION

Austin.—The season of the "hard luck story" is in full swing. Legislative committees having to do with taxing and spending are in almost constant sessions. On the one hand they hear from the state agencies that want more money—of their dire needs, of the gloomy future that awaits the state if their programs are underfinanced.

Equally mournful are the stories of those who would be the targets of new taxes. It would be like putting up a "Keep Out of Texas" sign for new businesses and accompanying prosperity, say many business and civic leaders of the sharp new tax bites. Texas communities trying to build up their areas by bringing in money-making enterprises would have the rug pulled out from under them, say the tax critics.

In this arena of clashing view points, the legislators must serve as both judge and jury. Few lawmakers expect to collect any nose-gays for their efforts—not matter how sincere or well considered. Some expect they may have to displease both groups—but cutting spending requests and raising taxes—all in one woeful session.

Bank to Business.—As expected, businesses, large and small, take a dim view of Governor Price Daniel's proposal to increase corporation franchise taxes.

Industry spokesmen told of probable increases of from 50 to 250 per cent in the amount they would have to pay. They complained, too, that they'd have to pay a tax whether they were making money or not, since the tax would be on capital, rather than income.

Representative J. E. Winfree of Houston, sponsor of the bill, told the business representatives, in effect, "It's this or something else."

UT Pleads Case.—University of Texas "will sink back into mediocrity," declared exes and officials, unless the school gets a better appropriation deal than that proposed by the Legislative Budget Board.

University officials asked for a two-year appropriation of about \$34,006,067. Budget board recommended \$27,920,624.

Dr. Logan Wilson told the House appropriations committee that people seemed willing to pay broad based taxes for highways. Why not for higher education?

Herman Jones, Austin attorney and spokesman for alumni, emphasized the importance of improved education to this country's position in international affairs. "I don't want it put in the history books that this generation kept the budget low and let the nation die," said Jones.

UT officials also said they would soon find themselves getting around on shoe leather under

KERRY DRAKE



a strict new measure proposed by Representative Ben Lewis of Dallas.

Under the bill, the first speeding conviction would bring a 30-day license suspension; the second, a 60-day suspension; the third, six months; and all thereafter, one year. A record of each conviction would be carried on the driver's license.

Speeding, Lewis pointed out, is regarded as a leading cause of accidents.

Anti Hair Splitting.—"Harmless errors" would no longer be grounds for reversal of a criminal court conviction under a measure being sponsored by Representative Tom James of Dallas.

Only "substantive errors" would

VISIT IN ARIZONA.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Perry and daughter, Linda, returned Monday morning from Wilcox, Arizona, where they visited another daughter, Mrs. James Eddie Jay, and family. They were accompanied home by Mrs. Charles Abshier, who had been visiting her husband at Fort Huachuca, Arizona.

The sessions had to do with a study of school curriculums. The program featured J. W. Edgar, chairman of the state education commission, and members of his staff.

Also on the program were Dr. John McFarland, superintendent of schools at Houston, who spoke on administrative topics; and Dr. James Bryant Conant, president emeritus of Harvard University, nationally known authority on American high schools.

Superintendent Goes To Austin Conference

Superintendent of Schools C. F. Cook was in Austin first of last week attending a meeting of the Texas state committee on public education.

"Now if I were to take a hammer and smash the clock," he said, "could I be arrested for killing time?"

"No," said the lad without a moment's hesitation. "It would be self defense."

The professor frowned. "How do you figure that out?"

"Because," answered the boy, "the clock struck first."

A man of integrity will never listen to any plea against conscience.—Henry Home.

LOGICAL LOGIC.

A college professor of logic was attempting to teach his young son the principles of clear thinking and the necessity for defining all terms. He pointed to a wall clock which had just struck the hour.

"Now if I were to take a hammer and smash the clock," he said, "could I be arrested for killing time?"

"No," said the lad without a moment's hesitation. "It would be self defense."

The professor frowned. "How do you figure that out?"

"Because," answered the boy, "the clock struck first."

A man of integrity will never listen to any plea against conscience.—Henry Home.

Las Vegas Trip Won By Vera Culbertson

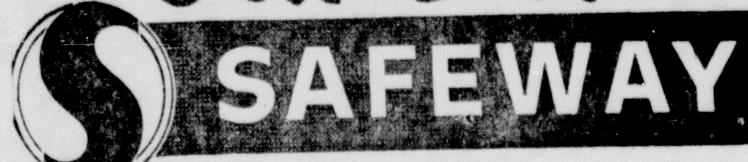
Vera Culbertson of 53 North Central Avenue in Hamlin has won an all-expense trip to Las Vegas, Nevada, in a magazine sales contest sponsored by Curtis Circulation Company of Philadelphia.

Miss Culbertson, a district organization representative for the company, leaves February 17 for Las Vegas, where she will stay three days as the company's guest at the luxurious Stardust Hotel on "The Strip." The all-expense trip is her reward for an exceptional performance in magazine sales for her district during the 16 weeks from September 8 through December 27, 1958.

Murrell gave details of efforts of his BCD committee to secure the location of a correctional institution for boys for the Hamlin area. Location of the site will be determined by the Texas Legislature, he advised. His committee is following through on the project.

Dwayne Stallcup, manager of Hughes Tool Company's office in Hamlin, was initiated as a new member of the Lions Club by Acting President B. V. Newberry. Besides Murrell, other guests at the Tuesday luncheon included O. R. Greerer of Abilene and Wesley Nail.

CUPBOARD-STOCKING SALE!



Peaches

Highway—Sliced or Halves
Just Made for Salads
and Shortcakes

27¢

Edwards Coffee

71¢

Peas

2 33¢

Spinach

2 27¢

Tomatoes

2 23¢

Knox Gelatin Sparkling
All Protein, No Sugar
32 Oz. \$1.39

Nu Made Salad Oil Makes Good
Food Taste Better, Bottle
Quart 45¢

Butter Shady Lane—Fresh from
the Churn Flavor! 1 Lb. 73¢

Van Zee Cheese Melts in a
Jiffy and Slices Too. 2 Lb. Box 69¢

Instant Coffee Safeway A-Oz. 89¢

Light Meat Tuna Chicken of
the Sea

Chunk Style Tuna Sterilized
No. 1/2 Can 33¢

Barbecue Beef Ireland's Chipped or Sliced
300 Gm. 73¢

Buffetin For Quick Relief
16-Ct. Bottle 49¢

Garbanzo—Summer
Favorite Vegetable Treat
Ready to Serve.

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Water Conditions Report Confirms Below Normal Moisture in Territory

Most streams and reservoirs in Creek Lake near Haskell, from which Hamlin section showed declines from the previous month in the monthly water conditions report of the Texas Board of Water Engineers just released to The Herald, verifying the continuing below normal dry condition that has persisted for several months.

Streams heading on the Edwards Plateau and crossing the Balcones fault zone continued to have above normal flow through January, the report continues.

Flow in most other streams across the state was below normal except in the coastal area, where sharp rises occurred in the southeast on January 30, and in the Trinity, Brazos and Colorado Rivers, where flow was sustained by releases from up-river reservoirs.

Total usable storage in 34 major Texas reservoirs changed very little during January, decreasing only 182,040 acre feet to 8,537,350 acre feet, which is 82 per cent of conservation capacity. Total storage which includes temporary storage of water in flood pools, was 9,649,980 acre feet or 45 per cent of total storage capacity.

In eight selected observation wells, five recorded a rise in water levels; two showed a decline; and one recorded no change. A new all-time high was set in the Travis County well near Buda, and new January lows were set in the El Paso area well and in the two Harris County wells.

January was a cold, dry month over most of Texas. Average temperatures at all first order weather bureau stations except El Paso were below normal.

January, 1959, was the driest on record at Dallas. The trace of rain at San Angelo tied the previous January records set in 1912 and 1914. Waco's .29 is the least amount received since 1928.

Rainfall was below normal at all stations except Brownsville and Corpus Christi, according to a survey just completed by the weather bureau state climatologist at Austin.

Rainfall totals and normal precipitation for selected weather bureau stations are shown in the following table:

Station	Jan.	Fall	Normal
Amarillo	.04	.88	
Amarillo	.16	64	
Austin	.42	2.63	
Brownsville	.298	1.43	
Corpus Christi	.174	1.39	
Dallas	.30	2.47	
El Paso	.21	.42	
Fort Worth	.36	2.42	
Gainesville	1.22	4.09	
Houston	.270	4.16	
Laredo	.40	1.02	
Lubbock	.08	.67	
Mcallister	.06	.62	
Port Arthur	2.97	5.12	
San Angelo	Trace	.99	
San Antonio	.52	1.81	
Victoria	.31	2.72	
Waco	.29	2.38	
Wichita Falls	.21	1.31	
Shreveport, La.	1.17	4.72	

Only a few reservoirs over the state held their capacity of storage at the end of January. Paint

Ferguson Theater

Phone 94 Hamlin, Texas
Enjoy Life... See a Good Movie at least once a month!

Wednesday, Thursday and Friday, Feb. 18-19-20—
287 Certified Laughs

TONY CURTIS and JANET LEIGH in

"THE PERFECT FURLough"

(In Color)
Also
The Man who Wore Another Face ... GEORGE NADER in

"Appointment With a Shadow"

Quiz Bank Friday \$50.00 Cash!

Saturday Only, Feb. 21—
Matinee at 2:00 p.m.
A Western in Beautiful Color ... AUDIE MURPHY In

"WALK THE PROUD LAND"

Also
Comedy and Mystery

"Abbott and Costello Meet the Mummy"

Hey Kids Watch for a BIG SURPRISE REAL SOON!

Sunday, Monday and Tuesday, Feb. 22-23-24—
Matinee Sunday at 2:00 p.m.
Exciting, Suspenseful, Action ... RICHARD WIDMARK In

"THE TRAP"

(In Color)
Also

JUNE ALLEYSON JEFF CHANDLER
Stranger in My Arms

SANDRA DEE CHARLES COBURN MARY ASTOR PETER GRAY RONNIE DAVIS

Watch for the Big Surprise next month

Freight Carloadings For Santa Fe Still Up

Freight carloadings from the Santa Fe Railway System for the week ending February 7, 1959, were 21,673 compared with 20,291 for the same week a year ago, reflecting an increase. Cars received from connections totaled 11,689 compared with 10,244 for the same week a year ago.

Total cars moved were 33,362 compared with 30,535 for the same week a year ago. Santa Fe handled a total of 34,931 cars in the preceding week this year.

New Books Added to Harden Library List

Seven new books have recently been placed in the Harden Memorial Library by the Hamlin Woman's Forum, sponsoring organization.

These books are new best sellers and should be well received by the reading public. The titles are: "The Ugly American" by Lederer and Burdick; "The Short

Summer" by Loula Grace Erdman; "The Thorn of Arimathea" by Frank G. Slaughter; "The Story of Albert Schweitzer" by Anita Daniel; "Steps to the Stars" by Lester Del Rey; "The Story of the Marines" by George P. Hunt; and "The Horse Tamer" by Walter Farley.

The basis of all integrity and character is whatever faith we have in our own integrity.—Roy L. Smith.

QUICK THINKING.
Jock—"I want only an empty bottle."

Clerk—"It will be 10 cents, but if I put something in it, there will be no charge for the bottle."

Jock—"Good. Put a cork in it."

The purpose of learning to employ every minute properly is to unclutter our hours, deliver us of feverish activity and earn us true leisure.—Robert R. Undergraff.

SINK OR SICK.
A Navy recruit lost his rifle on the firing range. When told he would have to pay for it, he protested, "Suppose I was driving a jeep and somebody stole it. Would I have to pay for that, too?" He was informed that he would have to pay.

"Now," said the recruit, "I know why the captain always goes down with his ship."

Second sheets at The Herald.

Milk Producers Get \$5.78 During January

Producers delivering milk to handlers regulated by the Central West Texas federal order will receive a minimum price of \$5.78 per 100 pounds for four per cent milk during January, 1959, according to an announcement this week by Byford W. Bain, market administrator. A number of pro-

ducers are in the area south of Hamlin.

During January there were 51 producers delivering milk on the Central West Texas market who delivered a total of 14,690,608 pounds for an average daily delivery of 473,891 pounds. This represents a decrease of 2.44 per cent from December, 1958.

Our deeds determine us as much as we determine our deeds.—George Eliot.

Ter-rific WORK SHIRT Value, Mon!
Full cut work shirt of Sanforized blue chambray . . . regularly \$1.29! Strain points bar tacked. 14½-17. **88¢**

Ver-va Fine Buy! Men's WHITE T-SHIRT
Full cut of fine combed cotton . . . sells regularly for 59¢! Nylon reinforced neck prevents sagging. **44¢**

Sich a Savings on JEANS for the Lads!
9 oz. blue denim triple stitched. Metal riveted at points of strain. Sanforized. Regular \$1.29. 4-10. **99¢**

"EARLY BIRD SPECIALS"



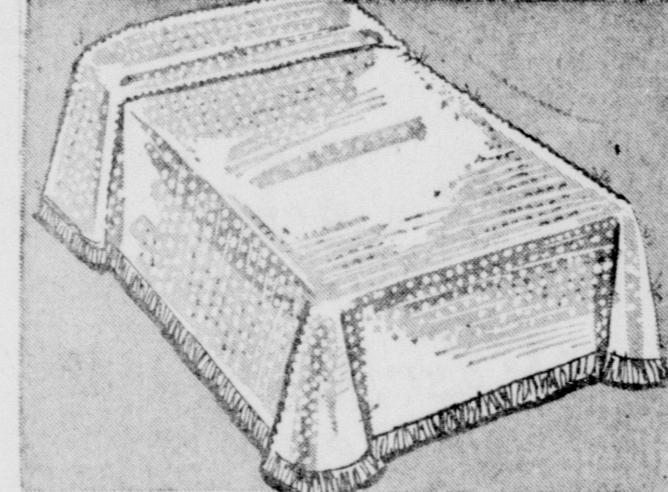
Quantities limited, so hurry!

The Money Ye Save on Kleenex Tissues!
Soft, strong Kleenex tissues, 400 sheets to a box . . . 1600 sheets for 94¢! 4 boxes **94¢**
White, pink, yellow, aqua.

Lassies! Extra Special Buy on THREAD!
2400 yards of mercerized cotton thread, #40, 50, and 60. All first quality. 2400 yards **99¢**
White and black.

Save! Drip-dry Togs for Wee Bairns!
Capri pants with button trim for lassies, boxer longies for lads. Pre-shrunk cotton sateen. 3-6x. **99¢**

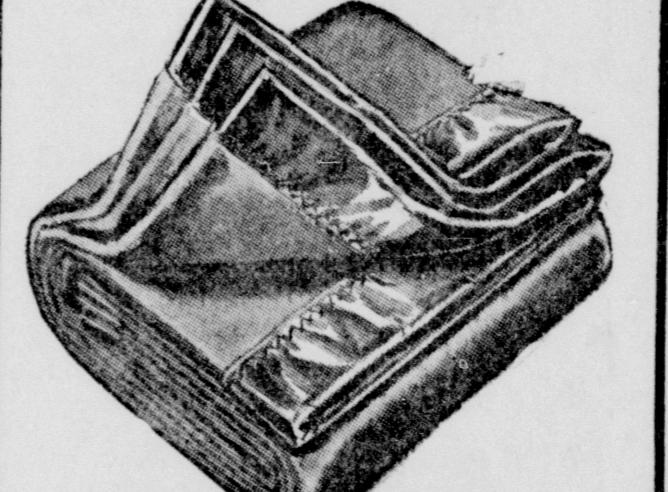
MCDONALD'S SANDY McDonald Days 7 DAYS ONLY! STARTS FEBRUARY 19



Lurex Trimmed Hobnail Spread
Here's a bargain for the Scotch in ye!

Viscose spread is washable, lint free. Lurex trim, fringed. In full or twin size. White, pink, yellow, green, beige, or brown.

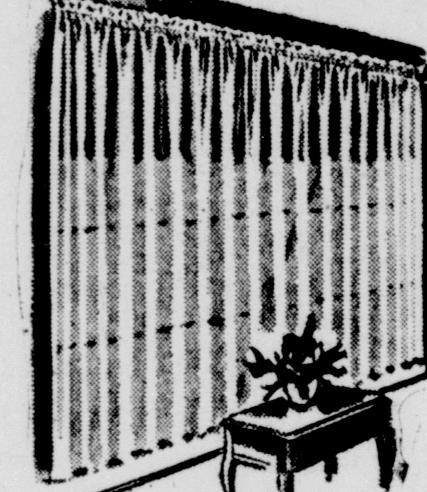
44¢



Big 6 Foot by 7 Foot Blanket

Full 3 pound blanket of rayon, nylon, and cotton. 5" binding. Pink, blue, green, yellow, beige.

344



Jumbo Size Nylon Curtain Panel

Sandy offers jumbo size... wee price!
Full 48" wide, 81" long! Of 100% DuPont Nylon, they are washable, need little or no ironing. Eggshell color.

99¢ ea.

Budget Beauties!
Three styles of Cotton Dusters

A real Sandy special!

299

All in beautiful Ever-gleaze embossed cotton with varied gay prints. Lace and piping trims. Easy care. S-M-L.

HURRY!



SALE
Your Choice for Big Savings!

One pair nylon hose

79¢

The second pair for just

1¢



Women's Cotton Slips

Sandy brings savings on a special purchase!

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Embossed cotton Batiste. Shadow panel, adjustable shoulder straps. 4-gored. 34/44.

Pretty Petticoat to Match Full Slip

Stock up now, lassies!

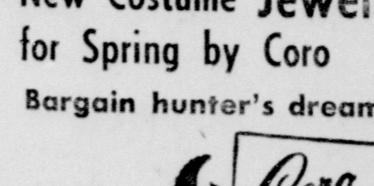
4-gore, non-ride petticoat with a shadow panel and embroidery trim.

99¢

A very special purchase permits us to offer this outstanding value of first quality 60 gauge, 15 denier dress sheer nylons at such a low price. They have dainty self seams, lovely beige color. Sizes 8½-11, medium length only. Hurry for yours.

New Costume Jewelry for Spring by Coro

Bargain hunter's dream!



One piece of jewelry

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Wide selection of earring, bracelet and necklace buys. Regular \$1 values.

Keep Shoes Neatly in Place with Sturdy Shoe Rack

And ye save!

Extra sturdy chrome plated steel rack holds 9 pairs men's shoes. All assembled.

88¢

TOPPER® Pants Hangers
High value... low price!

6 for 88¢

Wire pants hangers are convenient, durable. Regularly 6 for \$1.

Moccasins for Women and Teens
A thrifty buy that pamper the budget!

Colors: Turquoise, White, & Charcoal

199

Foot-easing cushion crepe outsole, suede leather upper. Made in attractive moccasin style with perforated vamp design. Women's sizes 4 to 9.

Stock up! Men's Sweat Shirts

Regular \$1.29 value!

99¢

Good, medium weight sweat shirt is warmly fleece lined. It has a Nylon reinforced collar to prevent sagging. Silver color only. S/M/L.

